

Sch. Dawson City, 5000 haddock, 5000 cod, 4000 hake, 3000 cusk.

Sch. Viking, 17,000 haddock, 6000 cod.

Sch. Ethel, 18 bbls. fresh herring.

Sch. Lizzie Griffin, 22,000 haddock, 13,000 cod, 3000 hake.

Sch. Laughing Water, 300 fresh mackerel.

Sch. Elith Emery, 5000 haddock, 5000 cod.

Sch. Frank Foster, 4000 haddock, 3000 cod, 5000 hake.

Sch. Emma W. Brown.

Sch. Lucy Devlin.

Sch. Harry L. Belden.

Sch. Alcina, 10,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. Rienzi, 14,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 1000 hake.

Steamer Empress, 45 bbls. herring.

Sch. Fair Oaks, 5 bbls. herring.

Sch. J. W. Bradley, 22,000 pollock.

Sch. Mattakesett, 15,000 haddock, 10,000 cod.

Sch. Rob Roy, 11,000 haddock, 35,000 cod, 5000 hake.

Sch. Braganza, 12,000 haddock, 4000 cod, 3000 hake.

Sch. Effie M. Morrissey, 15,000 haddock, 15,000 cod.

Sch. James S. Steele, 12,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 20,000 hake.

Haddock, \$2.50 to \$3.50; large cod, \$2.50 to \$3.50; small cod, \$1.50 to \$2.50; hake, 90 cts. to \$1.00; pollock, 70 cts.; fresh mackerel, 13 cts. each.

Mackerel News.

Sch. Laughing Water arrived at Boston this morning with 300 fresh mackerel, which sold at 13 cents each.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Emma W. Brown, Lucy Devlin and Harry L. Belden have abandoned seining and are now fitting at Boston for the haddock fishery.

Capt. John Campbell of sch. Argo, reports speaking schs. Anglo Saxon, Arbitrator and Eliza B. Campbell on Green Bank recently. They reported rough weather and fish scarce.

Friday, Oct 25th.

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Hattie M. Graham, Boston Bay, 15 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. James A. Garfield, seining.

Sch. Matthew Keany, shore, 25,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Noonday, shore.

Sch. Horace B. Parker, via Boston.

Sch. Elmer E. Randall, shore, 12,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Effie M. Morrissey, via Boston.

Sch. Grace Howe, shore, 35 bbls. salt herring.

Sch. Marguerite, Quero Bank, dory hand lining, 160,000 lbs. cod.

Sch. Edward Trevo, Western Bank, 20,000 lbs. cod.

Sch. M. H. Perkins, shore, 8000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Nickerson, shore, 7000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Epes Tarr, shore, 12,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Joseph Warren, shore, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.

Steamer Three Brothers, Ipswich Bay, 50 bbls. fresh herring.

Steamer Cygnet, Ipswich Bay, 40 bbls. fresh herring.

Steamer Pet, Ipswich, 40 bbls. fresh herring.

Ipswich and Essex, in teams, 50 bbls. fresh herring.

Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Oregon, halibuting.

To-day's Market.

Board of Trade prices: large handline Georges cod, \$3 3-4 per cwt., medium do., \$2 1-2; large trawl Georges, \$3 1-2, medium do., \$2 3-8; handline cod from deck, caught east of Cape Sable, \$3 1-2; medium do, \$2 3-8; large trawl bank cod, \$2 5-8; medium do., \$2 1-8; large dory handline cod, \$2.75, medium do., \$2.25.

Splitting prices, large cod, \$1.90; medium do., \$1.25; snapper do., 40 cts.; cusk, \$1.15; snapper do., 40 cts.; haddock, 65 cts.; hake, 95 cts.; pollock, 60 cts.

Rips cod, \$3.75 per cwt. for large, \$2.50 for medium and \$1.50 for snappers.

Outside sales dory handline cod, \$3.00 per cwt. for large and \$2.50 for medium.

Outside sales of bank cod \$3.00 and \$2.25 per cwt. for large and medium.

Outside sale of Georges cod, \$4 1-8 per hundred weight for large and \$2.62 for medium.

Outside sale of Rips cod, \$4.15 per cwt for large and \$2.80 for medium.

Bank halibut, 13 1-2 cents per lb. for white and 9 cents for gray.

Salt mackerel, \$15.50 per bbl.

Fresh mackerel, 14 cents each.

Fresh pollock, 65 cts. per cwt.

Boston.

Oct. 26—Ar., sch. Pythian, 20,000 haddock, 8000 cod.

Sch. Orpheus, 15,000 haddock, 90,000 4000 hake, 1000 cusk.

Sch. Acacia, 1500 cod, 1500 hake, 4000 pollock.

Sch. Rose Cabral, 6000 haddock, 3000 10,000 hake.

Sch. Flora L. Nickerson, 35 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Mary E. Stone, 100 cod, 500 pollock.

Sch. Klondike, 500 cod, 2000 pollock.

Sch. Edward A. Rich, 15,000 haddock, 17,000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. I. J. Merritt, Jr., 4000 haddock, 4000 cod, 4000 hake.

Sch. Joseph P. Johnson, 6000 haddock, 2000 cod, 7000 hake.

Sch. Distant Shore, 8 bbls. herring.

Sch. Grace Darling, 10,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. Henrietta G. Martin, 1500 haddock, 1500 cod, 8000 hake.

Sloop May, 10 bbls. herring.

Sch. Agnes V. Gleason, 16,000 haddock, 11,000 cod, 500 halibut.

Haddock, \$2.50 to \$3; large cod, \$3 to \$3.25; small cod, \$1.25 to \$2.25.

Mackerel News.

The fare of sch. Dauntless sold to Law son & Corliss at \$15.50 per bbl. and that of sch. Margaret Mather to Harvey C Smith at the same price.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Talisman is the only one of the Bank dory handline cod fleet to arrive.

Sch. Hattie A. Heckman will be commanded in the haddock fishery by Capt. William Burbridge.

Sch. Mabel D. Hines arrived at Canso, N. S., on Thursday, and sch. John L. Nicholson arrived there from the Banks the same day.

Sch. Orpheus was at Lockport, N. S., Sunday.

Schs. Harry L. Belden, Emma W. Brown and Lucy Devlin are fitting for haddocking at Boston.

A number of men are engaged in shipping herring at Shaw's wharf Newburyport. The refrigerator vessel J. K. Manning of this port is at Coleman's wharf taking in herring and freezing them.

Saturday, Oct 26th.

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. Dreidnaught, Bacalieu Bank, 20,000 lbs. halibut.

Sch. Orpheus, Western Bank, via Boston, 75,000 lbs. fresh cod.

Sch. Mary A. Gleason, seining.

Sch. Kearsarge, seining.

Sch. Herald of the Morning, Boston Bay, 45 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Mary F. Chisholm, shore, 18,000 lbs. halibut.

Sch. Rob Roy, Boston.

Sch. Mary Cabral, shore.

Sch. Braganza, Boston.

Ipswich and Essex team, 100 bbls. fresh herring.

Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Epes Tarr, pollocking.

To-day's Market.

Board of Trade prices: large handline Georges cod, \$3 3-4 per cwt., medium do., \$2 1-2; large trawl Georges, \$3 1-2, medium do., \$2 3-8; handline cod from deck, caught east of Cape Sable, \$3 1-2; medium do, \$2 3-8; large trawl bank cod, \$2 5-8; medium do., \$2 1-8; large dory handline cod, \$2.75, medium do., \$2.25.

Splitting prices, large cod, \$1.90; medium do., \$1.25; snapper do., 40 cts.; cusk, \$1.15; snapper do., 40 cts.; haddock, 65 cts.; hake, 95 cts.; pollock, 60 cts.

Rips cod, \$3.75 per cwt. for large, \$2.50 for medium and \$1.50 for snappers.

Outside sales dory handline cod, \$3.00 per cwt. for large and \$2.50 for medium.

Outside sales of bank cod \$3.00 and \$2.25 per cwt. for large and medium.

Outside sale of Georges cod, \$4 1-8 per hundred weight for large and \$2.62 for medium.

Outside sale of Rips cod, \$4.15 per cwt for large and \$2.80 for medium.

Bank halibut, 12 1-2 cents per lb. for white and 9 cents for gray.

Salt mackerel, \$15 per bbl.

Fresh mackerel, 14 cents each.

Fresh pollock, 65 cts. per cwt.

Boston.

Oct. 27—Ar., sch. Mattie Brundage, 5000 haddock, 3000 cod, 3000 hake, 1000 pollock.

Sloop May, 10 bbls. fresh herring.

Steamer Ella, 30 bbls. herring.

Sch. Almeida, 2500 haddock, 1500 cod, 3000 hake.

Sch. Charles W. Parker, 2000 haddock, 1000 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. Sylvia M. Nunan, 2000 haddock, 1000 cod, 3000 hake.

Haddock \$3, large cod \$3.25, small do. \$1.50, hake \$1.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. W. H. Moody of this port arrived at Halifax on Thursday and cleared for the Western Banks. Sch. Puritan of this port cleared for the Bay of Islands the same day.

Sch. Mabel D. Hines of this port sailed from Canso on Thursday.

Sch. Albert Geiger is fitting for winter market fishing.

Sch. Emma E. Witherell is fitting for a Newfoundland salt herring trip.

Sch. Sea Fox is taking in codfish at Provincetown for this port, where she will come to go on the railways preparatory to her Newfoundland herring trip.

Schs. Kearsarge and Herald of the Morning will now abandon the seining fishery.

Sch. Mary A. Gleason will now fit for haddocking.

Sch. Amos Cutter will now fit for Ipswich Bay fishing under command of Capt. Joseph Lyle.

Sch. Sarah E. Lee will now fit for a Newfoundland salt herring trip.

Mackerel Sale.
The fare of salt mackerel of sch. D. A. Wilson, on Saturday, was sold to George Perkins & Son for \$15 per barrel.

Mackerel News.

The receipts of foreign salt mackerel at Boston this week have been 1470 bbls., 1265 bbls. from Canada and 200 bbls. from Ireland. The Canadian mackerel are quoted from first hands at \$10 to \$10.50 per bbl. for 3s, which comprise the chief receipts. 2s are quoted at about \$12 per bbl. and P. E. I. mackerel from \$11 to \$13, according to quality. The 200 bbls. Irish are the first receipts of new Fall Irish mackerel in this city this season. They are reported to be of nice quality, fat and white, and sold at \$13 per bbl. Advices from Ireland are to the effect that fishing is light, and indications point to the curing of a small amount of fish. The catch is being shipped largely to the English markets. The receipts of new Irish count from 317 to 329 fish to a barrel.

Salt mackerel receipts this week have been about 1400 barrels. For the corresponding week last year 219 barrels were landed.

The New England catch of salt mackerel to date is about 86,000 barrels.

The imports of new salt mackerel at Boston to date are 22,956 barrels.

The receipts of Irish and Norway mackerel this week are at Boston 200 bbls. Irish, and at New York 308 bbls. Irish and 1000 bbls. Norway.

The fare of sch. Olga sold to John Pew & Son and that of sch. Vera to George Perkins & Son at \$15 per bbl.

The draggers went out on Friday, but came back without setting their nets.

Schs. Marguerite Haskins, Lizzie M. Center and N. A. Rowe arrived at Newport on Friday. There is nothing doing out that way and the prospect looks dry.

Sch. Pleiades landed 80 bbls. salt mackerel at Provincetown on Tuesday and has hauled up for the season at Wellfleet.

Sch. Glenelg of Provincetown has abandoned the mackerel seining fishery.

MACKEREL SITUATION.

Why the Price of Salt Mackerel Has Declined of Late.

Outlook at Block Island Is Considered Very Poor.

The reason for the decline in the price of salt mackerel from \$16.20 per barrel, the highest price of the season, to \$15 per barrel here at the end of the season when fish are scarcer than ever seems to be because trade has slackened up and the buyers feel that they do not want to take the chances of carrying any amount of the fat, poorly-coopered fish over to next season. Then again there are rumors of the pack in Ireland.

The demand from the country the past two years has been for mackerel which will retail at either five or ten cents apiece and pay the retailer and wholesaler an established profit. It is count and not weight. The mackerel being landed at present are half extras and go from 165 to 175 count to a barrel. These at the prices which would have to be asked for them prohibits their being sold at any where near the above figures by the retailer.

Then again are rumors of the increase in the pack in Ireland, caused by news of the advance in price here and the fact that these Irish fish count about 1280 to 320 to the barrel, which makes desirable sizes for the retailer, has made the buyers here adverse to investing in our local fish. If there had been any extensive late fall catch here, there would have been quite a slump in the market.

When our shore catch can be sold at a price so that the retailer can put them out for five or ten cents apiece, there is no limit to the quantity that the country will take, and when enough can be caught by our fishermen so that they can be sold at those prices, no foreign fish can enter into competition.

It has been said that if we got a catch of 100,000 barrels this year, the country was not in shape so that they could be marketed; with a catch of 85,000 barrels landed by New England fishermen and a large amount of fat fish furnished by the Provinces gone into consumption, it is an established fact that it is a question of price and not of quantity.

A catch of 250,000 barrels would be absorbed and consumed by the country as readily as these have been; provided the price showed the distributors a profit.

Monday, Oct 29th

DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. George F. Edmunds, Boston Bay, 105 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Blanche, via Boston, 15,000 lbs. cod, 15,000 lbs. haddock, 3000 lbs. hake.

Sch. Geneva Mertis, shore, 16,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. S. F. Maker, 20,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Mist, shore, 15,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Nickerson, shore, 10,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Pythian, via Boston.

Sch. Sea Fox, Provincetown, 200 qtls. cured cod.

Sch. Mertis H. Perry, via Boston.

Sch. Livonia, shore, 6000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Clara R, Harwood, shore, 6000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Oceanus, shore, 3000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Bertha M. Bailey, shore, 2000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Boyd and Leeds, shore, 20,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. J. W. Bradley, shore, 1000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Jessie, shore.

Sch. Elmer E. Randall, shore, 12,000 lbs. pollock.

Sch. Robin Hood, Georges.

Sch. Rob Roy, haddock.

Sch. Braganza, haddock.

Sch. Agnes E. Downes, haddock.

Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Epes Tarr, pollocking.

To-day's Market.

Board of Trade prices: large headline Georges cod, \$3 3-4 per cwt., medium do., \$2 1-2; large trawl Georges, \$3 1-2, medium do., \$2 3-8; headline cod from deck, caught east of Cape Sable, \$3 1-2; medium do., \$2 3-8; large trawl bank cod, \$2 5-8; medium do., \$2 1-8; large dory headline cod, \$2.75, medium do., \$2.25.

Splitting prices, large cod, \$1.90; medium do., \$1.25; snapper do., 40 cts.; cusk, \$1.15; snapper do., 40 cts.; haddock, 65 cts.; hake, 95 cts.; pollock, 60 cts.

Rips cod, \$3.75 per cwt. for large, \$2.50 for medium and \$1.50 for snappers.

Outside sales dory headline cod, \$.300 per cwt. for large and \$2.50 for medium.

Outside sales of bank cod \$3.00 and \$2.25 per cwt. for large and medium.

Outside sale of Georges cod, \$4 1-8 per hundred weight for large and \$2.62 for medium.

Outside sale of Rips cod, \$4.15 per cwt for large and \$2.80 for medium.

Bank halibut, 12 1-2 cents per lb. for white and 9 cents for gray.

Salt mackerel, \$15 per bbl.

Fresh mackerel, 14 cents each.

Fresh pollock, 65 cts. per cwt.

Boston.

Oct. 29—Ar., sch. Lettie G. Howard, 5000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 20,000 hake.

Sch. Hattie & Lottie, 12,000 haddock, 21,000 cod, 1500 hake.

Sch. Maud S., 3500 haddock, 3500 cod, 3000 hake.

Sch. Isaac Collins, 15,000 haddock, 25,000 cod.

Sch. Mary G. Powers, 20,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 35,000 hake.

Sch. Hattie F. Knowlton, 800 haddock, 700 cod, 4000 hake.

Sloop Venus, 1500 haddock, 2000 hake.

Sch. Joseph Warren, 2000 haddock, 1500 cod, 3000 hake.

Sch. Gov. Russell, 10,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 6000 hake.

Sch. New England, 25,000 haddock, 16,000 cod, 4000 hake.

Sch. Carrie F. Roberts, 4000 haddock, 1000 cod, 5000 hake.

Sch. Lydia, 20 bbls. herring.

Sch. Gracie Freeman, 15 bbls. herring.

Sch. Cavaire, 20,000 haddock, 6000 cod, 12,000 hake.

Sloop Two Sisters, 500 haddock, 500 cod, 1000 pollock.

Sch. Edna Perry, 3000 haddock, 3000 cod

Sch. Gloriana, 12,000 haddock, 7000 cod 18,000 hake.

Sch. Nannie C. Bohlin, 24,000 cod, 18,000 halibut.

Haddock \$3 to \$3.50, large cod \$3.25 to \$3.75, small do. \$2.50 to \$3.50, hake \$1 to \$1.25, cusk \$1.25, pollock \$1.25, halibut 13 and 10 cents.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Sch. Nannie C. Bohlin, at Boston this morning, reports speaking sch. Niagara of this port on the Banks.

Sch. Sea Fox is at this port from Provincetown with cured fish for Slade Gordon & Co.

Schs. Puritan and Winona of this port were at Canso on Saturday.

Schs. Carleton Belle and Bertha D. Nickerson of Boothbay have fitted for Newfoundland salt herring trips.

Mackerel News.

Sch. Angiela, Capt. Joseph, of Provincetown is to sail south after the close of the mackerel season, and engage in fishing in the Gulf of Mexico, with headquarters at Pensacola.

Steamer A. B. Nickerson of Provincetown, has abandoned mackereling for the season.

New Vessel.

S. Nickerson & Sons of Boothbay Harbor, Me., have contracted with W. I. Adams & Son, of East Boothbay, to build a first class schooner suitable for mackerel or bank fishing. She will be of the latest style model, of 133 tons register, and up to date in every particular.

Halibut at Boston.

Sch. Nannie C. Bohlin arrived at Boston this morning with 18,000 pounds of halibut and 24,000 pound of scod. The halibut sold for 13 and 10 cents per pound.

Bank Cod Sale.

The fare of sch. S. P. Willard sold to Cunningham & Thompson at \$3 per hundred weight for large and \$2.25 for medium.